

FILIPINO ON
THE TARIFFDelegate From the Philippines
Speaks in House

ATTACKS THE PAYNE BILL

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ing Them, Duties Should
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Washington, April 2.—For the first time Senator Pablo Ocampo, the native Filipino delegate who was formerly of Aguinaldo's insurrectionist, spoke on the tariff to-day. He attacked the Payne bill by presenting a resolution from the Philippine legislature asking for the abolition of the Dingley duty on sugar, unmanufactured tobacco, cigarettes, agricultural machinery and apparatus for the repairing of roads. He said if the retention of the Philippines is not for the purposes of exploiting them, these onerous duties should be repealed.

BURIED UNDER CELLAR FLOOR.

Bodies of Aged Couple Found in Ruins
of Their Home.

Toledo, O., April 2.—In the finding of the bodies of Ludwig Krueger, aged 66, and his wife, aged 63, buried in the cellar of their home, which was destroyed by fire early yesterday, the Toledo police are confronted by a murder mystery.

Boys digging in the ruins noticed that the brick floor of the cellar had been tampered with. The floor was taken up and the bodies of the aged couple were found. Both had been stabbed to death. The Kruegers were last seen alive on Tuesday evening, when Mr. Krueger was paid \$2,000 as part payment for the purchase of his farm.

At midnight, at the end of a four hour quizzing, M. Sobieski, a tailor, who purchased the Krueger farm, was held for further investigation.

SCULPTOR PAYS IN JAIL.

Refused to Pay His First Wife's Alimony—Must Serve Six Months.

New York, April 2.—Because he refused to pay his first wife's alimony to the amount of \$1,000 Roland Hinton Perry, a sculptor and painter, was today committed to follow arrest for six months term. By going to prison Perry is relieved of the alimony obligation. In 1906 Perry was divorced from Irma Hinton Perry and later married Mrs. Mary Hambury Fisher of San Diego, Cal. He claimed inability to pay alimony as the divorce court ordered.

COTTON WORKERS STRIKE.

Three Hundred in Connecticut Mills Go Out.

Plainfield, Conn., April 2.—Three hundred employees of the Lawton Cotton Mills went on a strike this morning, caused by the female employees' refusal to work on certain parts of machinery, believing it to be of a dangerous nature and should be done by the men. The complaints were not heeded and the girls struck, followed by their fellow workers. The National Textile Organization will investigate the trouble.

LOOKING FOR RESIDENCE.

Representative of King Peter in Geneva
for That Purpose.

Geneva, April 2.—The report that King Peter intends to abdicate is partially confirmed by the arrival here of a representative who admitted this mission was to buy a residence for the king. Negotiations are in progress for the finest residence in the city.

Zeppelin Flies Again.

Berlin, April 2.—After abandoning all thought of return by rail to Munich on account of the heavy wind, Count Zeppelin was able to ascend shortly after 11 a. m. to-day at Leining and reports this afternoon say the airship is over Munich, and he is having a successful flight toward Munich.

The First Bananas.

Bananas were first imported into Europe on a large scale from the Canary Islands. Until a few years ago they successfully met the competition of the Antilles and the coast of Africa. But a disease has spread in the banana cultures, and exportation has fallen off in alarming measure. As the banana figures prominently in the food of the town population of England, the British government appointed a commission to investigate the causes of the degeneration of this useful plant. According to the report of this commission, the planters have only themselves to blame; they have given the soil no rest for years past, nor practiced any rotation of crops. Confident of the perpetual richness of their soil, they have applied no fertilizer. The enfeebled plants have fallen a prey to a disease known as Ciesporium masarum, which is gradually gaining a foothold in all plantations. The report closes with the observation that the disease is successfully fought by a proper application of fertilizer to the soil.—Scientific American.

Cuba's tobacco production in 1908, manufactured and unmanufactured, was of the value of \$45,000,000 gold, of which \$11,000,000 worth was used for home consumption. Exports were: leaf tobacco, 40,000,000 pounds (increase over 1907, 100,000,000 pounds); 188,000,000 cigars and 10,000,000 cigarettes.

MORE INDIANS SURRENDER.

Crazy Snake, However, is Still at Large.

Chectaw, Okla., April 2.—Colonel Hoffmann, commanding the militia which is chasing Crazy Snake and his Indians, said last night that he had every assurance of the surrender of Crazy Snake within a short time. The signal fire of an agent acting as go-between was seen in the hills. Eastman Jones, a cousin of Crazy Snake, and three others of the latter's band, surrendered to Colonel Hoffmann last night.

Yesterday Colonel Hoffmann authorized a respected Creole of Chectaw to promise his friend Chitti Harjo safety and a fair trial if he would surrender. Detachments of troops and squads of deputies searched the country in every direction yesterday for Crazy Snake, despite rain and short rations. A further food supply is expected today from Chectaw, for it is almost impossible to bring heavy wagons across the rocky rutted trail of the Tiger Mountains over which the soldiers marched. A newspaper reporter made the trip from Chectaw yesterday and found "good" Indians calmly at work cleaning their farms or plowing for the spring sowing of corn and cotton. So thoroughly have the fugitive followers of Crazy Snake taken to cover that the scene would suggest anything but warfare, were it not for the scurrying possums of mounted citizens and the khaki clad Oklahoma guardsmen.

DR. ELIOT DECLINES
AMBASSADORSHIPSecretary of State Knox Makes The
Announcement After Conference
With President.

Washington, April 2.—Secretary of State Knox announced this morning after a conference with the president that Dr. Charles W. Eliot, ex-president of Harvard university, had definitely decided to decline the ambassadorship to Great Britain.

KING EDWARD HAS SHOCK?

Report Sent to Berlin Paper Says He
Had One.

Berlin, April 2.—The Frankfurter Gazette publishes a despatch from Madrid asserting that King Edward is at Biarritz and has sustained a slight paralytic shock.

Story Unfounded.

London, April 2.—Anxious inquiries sent to Biarritz where King Edward is stopping, concerning the report of a recent shock prove the story to be absolutely unfounded. While it is known the king is not a well man no official confirmation of the report of the shock is obtainable.

King Edward Surprised.

Biarritz, April 2.—King Edward was a spectator at the Basque sports to-day and though not so vigorous as a year ago told the party he had no apprehension as to his health. He was much surprised when told of the report of a stroke of paralysis.

ANNUAL SUGARING OFF.

Vermonters in Boston Have the Annual
Event.

Boston, April 2.—The annual "sugaring off" given by the Vermont Association of Boston last evening in Paul Revere hall proved the largest in point of attendance yet given, nearly 500 congenial spirits, most of them natives of Vermont, having been present. Dr. E. A. Burnham, the sugar expert, superintended the boiling in the kitchen in big copper kettles. When all the necessary consistency had been reached, the sugar was poured into a pan of snow, brought all the way from Vermont for the purpose, and eating it after it had congealed to the consistency of taffies.

EX-PRESIDENT SEES GIBLARTAR.

Col. Roosevelt and Son Given Big Re-
ception in Two-hour Stop There.

Gibraltar, April 2.—Under the escort of Sir Frederick Postlethwaite, Walker, the governor of Gibraltar, and Richard L. Sprague, the American consul, Col. Theodore Roosevelt with his son Kermit and party enjoyed a sightseeing tour in automobiles on the arrival of the steamer Hamburg here at ten o'clock this morning. Thousands gathered at the pier and gave a big reception to the ex-president. The city is liberally decorated for the occasion. After a stay of two hours, the vessel cleared for Naples.

RANDOLPH.

Miss Lucy Richards has returned to assume the charge of the house of Judge James Hutchinson.

George Mann of Dewart's Mills with his two sons passed several days at William Mann's this week.

Willie Howard has made 60 gallons of maple syrup, while many others have not tapped their trees.

Prof. W. H. Cummings of Claremont, N. H., a guest for several days at A. H. Powers', left here Wednesday.

Rev. J. W. Hamilton is beautifying his house by an extensive piazza with a circular corner.

Charles Pratt, from the Perkins Institute for the Blind at South Boston, is with his aunt, Mrs. Emily Burroughs, for a ten-days' vacation.

Mrs. George Sparhawk of Beaver, Pa., has been summoned to Burlington by the serious illness of her father, John Burt, at the Sparhawk sanitarium.

Miss Etta Chamberlain is passing part of her vacation from the union school in Montpelier at her brother's, O. S. Chamberlain's, this village.

Miss Elizabeth Campbell, a teacher in the Bellows Falls schools, is spending her vacation at the home of Mrs. W. W. Jones.

Miss Marion Nickerson has been passing ten days in Boston, returning here on Sunday.

MUST PAY
\$1,239,082.92Collector Asks American
Sugar Co. to Pay up

FOR SHORT WEIGHTING

The Largest Sum Ever Collected in a
Customs House Fraud Case—Two
Payments Already Made Ten
Days to Complete Them.

New York, April 2.—William Loeb, collector of the Port of New York has broken the record already in ordering the liquidation of the back duties owed by the American Sugar Refining company which was recently found guilty of short weighting the government at an average of 14 pounds to each bag of sugar imported. The sum the sugar company must pay as stated today is \$1,239,082.92 the largest sum ever collected in a custom house case of fraud. The company has already made two payments. The full amount must be paid in ten days, and in addition the company must pay \$140,000 as the result of the fine.

RIVERS IN JAIL,
AND GIRL AT HOMERunaway Pair Taken in Canada Back in
Windsor—Man Charged with Kid-
naping.

Windsor, April 2.—Joseph Rivers, who was arrested at Chambly Junction, in a village about six miles from Montreal, for kidnaping Daisy Redmond, a 14-year-old girl, was arraigned before Justice F. S. Hale yesterday afternoon and at the request of his counsel, Davis & Davis, the hearing was continued until to-day.

Rivers was living in Canada under the name of Richard, and the girl was represented to be his daughter.

Rivers, who is a man about 44 years of age, has done time hitherto, having been sentenced to not less than two nor more than three years from Middlebury for some crime. He served his two years in prison here and was let out on parole, his sentence terminating last May.

The penalty for kidnaping is twenty years in state prison. A warrant was issued for Rivers here from Canada.

WARRANT FOR GRANDFATHER.

Reviling Moral Conditions Uncovered at
Newfane.

Brattleboro, April 2.—Grossly immoral conditions which have existed in South Newfane for three or four years came to a climax yesterday when three young men were fined and an older man was bound over to the county court a woman was arrested for not properly caring for a girl in her charge, and a young girl was taken from her home to be placed under guardianship. The proceedings took place in Newfane before Judge E. W. Gibson of the Brattleboro municipal court.

All the respondents except the woman were charged with improper relations with Clara and Esther Knapp, 18 and 13 years old, respectively. A warrant making the same charge was issued for the arrest of Fayette Knapp, aged 69, grandfather of the girls, but he was critically ill and so was not arrested.

Harvey Whitaker, 63 years old, was held for the county court, but he furnished bail in \$500 and was released. Julius Prouty, aged 19, Ernest Prouty, aged 15, and Ray Starkey, aged 15, were fined from \$10 to \$15 each, with costs, having pleaded guilty.

The older girl lived with her grandfather until within a few days, when she ran away and had a guardian appointed over her. The sister lived with her aunt, Mrs. Mary Ballou, who was arrested on the ground of improper care, but she was released on promising to have a guardian appointed over the child. Both girls are now in Brattleboro and a guardian will be appointed over the younger one as soon as it can be done.

SHORT ON PRISONERS.

House of Correction Has Hardly Enough
to Run Marble Shops.

Rutland, April 2.—The officials of the house of correction state that it will probably be necessary in the near future to import prisoners in order to secure men enough to run the marble shops connected with the institution. The small number of commitments to the house of correction and the Rutland county jail during the last few months has been seriously felt in this industry. During the month of March there were only four commitments to the former institution and 35 to the latter.

CALLED TO SWANTON.

Wilder Pastor Is Expected to Accept
the Call.

Swanton, April 2.—At a meeting last evening of the Congregational church society, it was voted to extend a call to the Rev. Nelson O. Bowditch of Wilder, who was notified of the call by telephone at the close of the meeting, and it is expected he will accept. He has been pastor of the church at Wilder for five years.

Seventeenth Pleaded Not Guilty.

Boston, April 2.—The seventeen men to plead not guilty to the customary indictment, charging collusion in bids for steel work, proved to be Henry M. Jones of the McGraw & Jones company of Portland, Me., who furnished the usual \$2,000 bail in the superior court yesterday.

BASE BALL PROSPECTS.

Team to Represent Burlington in League
of Vermont Cities.

Burlington, April 2.—Base ball will be an attraction during the terecentenary week and Burlington will have a team all summer, providing there is any kind of interest taken and a thousand dollars can be raised to finance the project. At a meeting of those ready to stand back of the team at the start-off, the following directors were chosen: George E. Whitney, Elias Lyman, L. L. Southwick, Dr. C. H. Beecher and T. R. Burgess. Officers have been elected as follows: President, George E. Whitney; vice-president, Elias Lyman; secretary and treasurer, Dr. C. H. Beecher; manager, "Tom" E. Hayes.

The old northern league grounds have been secured, Abbot Park, the scene of all the fast games for years back, and games will be begun in June at the close of college. It is planned to have from four to six games here during the terecentenary with good clubs composed of college players, as will be the Burlington team.

A league composed of Barre, Montpelier, Rutland and Burlington will be formed, and possibly other towns will want to come in. This latter point may be settled at a meeting which has been called at Rutland this afternoon.

FIRE DESTROYS HOME
OF EUGENE COWLESResidence of The Well Known Vocalist
at Derby Line Burned to the
Ground.

Derby Line, April 2.—The house and barn on the Gardner Chase farm as it was originally known and later owned by Dr. Cowles, and since his death by his son, Eugene Cowles, the famous vocalist, was burned to the ground yesterday afternoon. Mr. Cowles was in the habit of spending his vacation intervals here and his aged mother made her home at the place. She was in the house when the fire caught but was taken to a place of safety by an attendant. Very little was saved from the buildings on account of the fire being outside the village corporation limits which deprived it of fire protection. A very fine medical library which had belonged to the late Dr. Cowles besides many books of reference and miscellaneous periodicals were destroyed as well as a valuable lot of prints and photographs and costumes owned by Mr. Cowles. The loss is several thousand dollars. There was a nominal insurance.

WILLING TO MEET VULCAN.

Company F Basket Ball Team Willing
to Let Game Decide Superiority.

Northfield, April 2.—The management of the C. F. basket ball team was seen in regard to their claim to the semi-professional championship of the state as appeared in an article in the Barre Times. The Vulcans of Barre disputing this claim. The management of the C. F. team stated that they were willing to play the Vulcans on a neutral floor to decide which was the better team as each have won a game from the other, provided a date can be arranged.

FIRE AT SHELTON.

Destroys Grand Stand at the Fair
Grounds.

Shelton, April 2.—The old grandstand at the Shelton fair grounds was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. It caught from sparks of a passing locomotive which fell upon the roof. The wind was from the northwest and it was therefore possible to save the new grandstand which was 30 feet distant from the flames. The henery, 20 feet to the east, was also saved after a lot of hard work. About 25 men fought the fire and by leaving down fence posts to confine the fire to the stand. There was no water. The loss will amount to \$500 with insurance of \$300.

GUILTY OF HORSE STEALING.

Young Man Gets Year and Half in
States Prison.

Newport, April 2.—A young man by the name of Collins was tried in county court for horse stealing and the jury returned a verdict of guilty. Judge Miles sentenced him to one year and six months to two years upon the state prison at Windsor. George O'Hair and a younger brother received fines for assault, George paying a fine of \$25 and costs and the brother \$10 and costs but was placed on probation. The jury was excused last night until April 15 when three more cases will be tried in Judge Miles' disqualified. The court is hearing divorce cases during the intermission.

MUSTER IN JUNE.

Vermont National Guard to Be on Hand
for Terecentenary.

Adjutant General W. H. Gilmore, who was in Montpelier yesterday said the 1st Vermont regiment will go to the state camp grounds near Essex Junction the last of June. He has received several invitations for the regiment to participate in the Lake Champlain terecentenary celebration next summer, among them for the regiment to go to Plattsburg, N. Y., but transportation difficulties will prevent accepting the latter proposition. The regiment will parade in Burlington.

General Gilmore expressed himself as well pleased with the showing the men made at the recent annual inspection.

DRUGGIST ACCUSED.

St. Albans Licensee Held on Charge of
Unlawful Selling.

St. Albans, April 2.—Charles D. O'Leary, a druggist who was granted a license about three months ago by the board of aldermen, was yesterday arrested on an information and complaint filed by State's Attorney Johnson, in which the unlawful sale of liquor is charged. Mr. O'Leary was brought before Judge Hall in Franklin county court and bail in the sum of \$1,000 was furnished for his appearance later. He was then released from custody.

STRONG IS
NOT GUILTYThe Jury Decides That He is
Insane

HE WILL BE COMMITTED

The Case Has Been on Trial in County
Court Since Wednesday Morning.
The Jury Was Out But a
Short Time.

The case of State vs. Fred E. Strong charged with assault with the intent to rob Gola B. Evans of Waterbury went to the jury in county court at 11 o'clock this morning and after being out 15 minutes the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty by the reason of insanity. Strong was then sentenced to the state prison at Windsor for safe keeping until further order from the court. In their arguments before the jury both State's Attorney Gates and W. A. Lord were agreed that the respondent was not a safe person to be at large and should be placed under restraint.

LOCATING KENT NEAR
SCENE OF MURDERMany Witnesses Put on to Prove This
—Trial Will Last All Next
Week.

Rutland, April 2.—There were no new developments today in the trial of Elroy Kent for the murder of Della Congdon. The state introduced several more witnesses this morning to show that Kent was seen in East Wallingford both before and after the murder. The trial will last all next week.

Trying to establish its contention that Elroy Kent was in the vicinity of the scene of the crime for several days before and after the day of the murder, the prosecution put many witnesses on the stand yesterday afternoon. Several of these were women, who testified that Kent called at their houses asking for food and water.

Kent's former school teacher, Mrs. Alice Goodell of Mt. Holly, testified that she saw him on July 22 at a clubhouse on Forest hill, to which place she had gone to get some clothing she left there on a previous visit. Mrs. Maud Davonport, a neighbor of the school teacher, who accompanied her on the visit to the club house, gave similar testimony.

Mrs. Emma Baker of East Wallingford told of a man who called at her house on the day of the murder. She gave him some money, which he asked for. She testified that after the murder of Kent she picked him out of the crowd of other men as the man who called at her house on July 21. Harry C. Dawson of Wallingford identified Kent as a man who called at his house and asked for a drink of water on July 21.

PARTY OF 74 WILL GO.

Brattleboro High School Seniors to Leave
for Washington.

Brattleboro, April 2.—The makeup of the high school party which will start for Washington Saturday morning was given out yesterday by Principal E. Burr Smith. There will be 74 in the party, of whom 37 are members of the senior class. They will start at 6:28 and arrive in Washington at 9 in the evening. The return trip will be begun Thursday morning at 7. The party will stay in Philadelphia three hours and 24 hours in New York, and will arrive home at 10:25 on Friday night.

SMALL FIRE IN MONTPELIER.

Calls Out The Department—Loss Is
Nothing.

While Mrs. Silian Cilley was burning grass in front of her house at the upper end of Main street back of Heaton hospital, Montpelier, the fire got beyond her control and caught in the coffee room of the house. The fire department was called out by an alarm from box 36 and they had the flames out before much damage had been done other than the scorching of one side of the house.

Northfield Lodge Inspected.

Northfield, April 2.—The annual meeting of DeWitt Clinton lodge, No. 15, F. and A. M. was held last night and the following officers were elected for the coming year. Prof. Geo. S. Wright, Henry W. Orser, o. v. G. Fred Orsmond, J. W. H. Cady, treasurer, C. N. Whitcomb, secretary. The reports of the secretary showed that the lodge was in a very prosperous condition. After the business meeting interesting remarks were made by Rev. J. S. Fortier, L. C. Ellis and Edward Connell.

A Statement.

For the benefit of my friends who have been misinformed, I wish to state that I am at present and have been for the past five years an agent of the New York Life Insurance company, and any reports to the contrary are erroneous.

A. W. Premier.

The first end of the Akkra-Aknapem railway on the Gold Coast has been cut. It will develop particularly the cocoa industry, which is entirely worked by the natives. Exports of cocoa have risen from \$40,000 to \$2,500,000 in only 10 years, even without adequate transportation.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ROWEN.

Held Yesterday Afternoon From Late
Residence.

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Rowen was held at two o'clock yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 80 Summer street, Rev. J. D. McKenzie officiating.

Two selections were given during the service by a quartette from the Presbyterian choir. The bearers were George Emery, James Milne, John Steward, George Steward, John Phillips and William McDonald.

Interment was made in Hope cemetery. A large array of floral tributes showed the esteem in which Mrs. Rowen was held. A partial list of the flowers follows: "At Rest," from the husband, broken columns from the family; wreath of roses and pink from the session and managers of the Presbyterian church; wreath of roses and lilies, James Sector & Co. and employees; roses and hyacinths, Peter Park and family; lilies from grandchildren, Elizabeth, May and William Carson; lilies, John McCouture, Haley Richards, Chester Bennett, Frank Young, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Towne, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Shurtleff, Mrs. G. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. John Chesser, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bird, Mr. and Mrs. James Lamont, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Campbell.

Carnations, Y. P. A. of the Presbyterian church, G. Robins, Mrs. J. Robins, Mrs. W. S. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kimball, Misses Elsie and Barbara McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Dan J. Sullivan, Mrs. James Campbell, Robert Renfrew, Mrs. J. B. Darling, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Odgers, Fred A. Danforth, John William Hale.

Pinks and hyacinths, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Blackhouse, Mrs. Verner, Thomas Vennar, Jr., hyacinths, Mrs. and Mrs. James Alexander, Mrs. Walter Williams and family.

FEES REDUCED.

St. Albans License Commissioners Fix
Them at \$800.

St. Albans, April 2.—The board of license commissioners, W. H. Ellis, W. H. Finn and P. J. Belhumer, held a meeting last evening, when applications for licenses were received and license fees fixed. Seventeen applications were received, of which eleven were for first class, as follows: Henry A. Dunbar, Owen Maroon, George Barretts, C. W. Reagan, W. H. Larry, W. E. Larrow, A. Olney, M. F. Spencer, Fred Renard, Peter Biagiotti and Fred Demers; five for second class, John J. Thompson, Thomas Beach, Joseph Moseley, E. J. Charbonneau and James Curry; fifth class, C. D. O'Leary. The fees for both, first and second class were fixed at \$800 each and \$50 for the fifth class. A public meeting for hearings on the applications, will be held in the city hall Thursday, April 15.

EVERY ONE SATISFIED.

Universalist Young Again Demonstrate
Their Culinary Abilities.

The annual supper given by the men of the Universalist church at the vestry room last evening, was a success as those affairs usually are, and a good sum was realized for the church. Over 150 people partook of the supper and the men kept bustling from 5:30 until after eight o'clock at their unaccustomed tasks. The menu included tomato soup, roast beef, cold boiled ham, baked apples, mashed potatoes, pickles, rolls, cake and coffee. The committee having the supper in charge was composed of Fayette Cutler who presided as chef, Harry Whitcomb and W. G. Reynolds, N. J. Roberts officiated as head waiter and was assisted by 14 of the young men of the church. The dinner was served at 6:30 and the supper at 7:30. The committee had a very successful evening and the supper the commandery was inspected and reviewed by the local officers. A degree was conferred on one candidate, Alderman W. S. Alexander. After the degree speeches were made by the visiting Sir Knights who spoke very highly of the work as performed by the local officers. The inspecting officer said of the review that the military tactics of the commandery were the best he had ever seen and that they were very nearly perfect. There were also remarks by several of the local Sir Knights.

GET AWAY WITH \$1250.

Thieves Empty Money Till at Pavilion
Hotel.

While the night man, Charles Seguin, at the Pavilion hotel was down in the basement at an early hour this morning fixing the fires in the boilers, someone tapped the till in the office of \$1250. The lock on the money drawer had been defective for some time, and had been the custom to take the drawer out and place into another drawer which could be locked. This the night man failed to do last evening. Seguin said that there was a man hanging around in the reception room during the evening and he had ordered him out and supposed he went. When he came up from the basement Seguin said he heard the front door of the hotel close.

WM. MILLER FALLS ON SIDEWALK.

Strikes on His Face and is Considerably
Disfigured.

While carrying a large tank of hot coffee and 150 sandwiches from his restaurant to the K. of C. hall last evening William Miller slipped and fell to the sidewalk and in consequence his face is not a little disfigured today. When he fell he tried to save the coffee from spilling and in so doing he struck on the side of his face while the coffee poured over him. On account of his weight his face received a hard rap on the walk and quickly swelled so that his face was almost unrecognizable while a cut under his chin opened the front of his clothing with blood.

DEWEY COLUMN CUTTING WORKS.

Takes Out Incorporation Papers—Capital
\$30,000.

The Dewey Column Cutting Works firm of this city has filed articles of incorporation in the secretary of state's office. Their principal place of business will be in Barre. The firm is to quarry, manufacture and sell granite and marble and to hold real estate. The capital stock is \$30,000 which is divided into 200 shares. The stockholders are M. W. Nelson, James Brown, J. H. Nelson, J. T. Nelson, H. Nelson Brown and Joseph M. Nelson.

INCREASED NUMBER OF DOGS.

City Clerk Issues 453 Licenses, 23 More
Than Last Year.

City Clerk Mackay has been busy for the past few days making out licenses for the canine population of the city. There are within the limits of the city 453 dogs which are licensed to live under the usual restrictions. Nearly 100 of these licenses were granted yesterday. This shows an increase of 23 in the licensed dog population over last year.

OLD FRIEND
TURNS UPAnd Gets James McLean In-
to Trouble Again

FEW HOURS OUT OF JAIL

Pays a Fine Out of the Money He Earned
in Jail—Albert Bertrand Pleads
Guilty to Assault on William
Heppner.

Only a few hours out of county jail, where he had been for ninety days, James McLean was arrested on Main street at eleven o'clock last night in a badly intoxicated condition by Officer Carle. In city court this morning, McLean told the court that the meeting of an old "buddy" of his from the state of Maine was cause of his undoing yesterday. This "friend," he said, had two pints of liquor in his pockets which they drank together while renewing their acquaintance. McLean said that he did not feel like drinking at all yesterday and wouldn't have if this "friend" had not shown up. He pleaded guilty to a subsequent offense and was fined \$15 with costs of \$3.90, which he paid from a roll of bills he had earned while in jail.

Albert Bertrand pleaded guilty in city court yesterday to the charge of breach of the peace in striking William Heppner on the night of March 6, which resulted in Heppner's being laid up for three weeks in the City hospital. It appears that Heppner was intoxicated when he met Bertrand on the sidewalk and attempted to push him off the walk. Bertrand is said to have struck Heppner one blow and he fell to the sidewalk, bumping his head, causing him to have serious hemorrhages in his head. After the scrap Bertrand is said to have left town and when Heppner's assault became known to the officers they arrested El Bertrand, a brother of Albert, on the charge, but learned from El that his brother was the guilty one and El was discharged. Albert, who had not returned to the city, made negotiations with his brother and his mother to settle with the court. A fine of \$10 and costs of \$3.90 were paid.